

## We Want To Hear From You

The U.S. Army Rocky Mountain Arsenal has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) to evaluate the Environmental and Socioeconomic impacts of the transfer of up to 100-foot strips/parcels of real property (approximately 126 acres) located along the north, northwestern and southern boundaries of the Arsenal, from the Federal government to the State or Local government, for the purpose of road expansion or for the provision of alternative means of transportation.

The EA and the Draft Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) documents were prepared in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.), the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508), and Army Regulation 200-2, "Environmental Analysis of Army Actions" (32 CFR Part 651).

The Rocky Mountain Arsenal National Wildlife Refuge Act of 1992 (Refuge Act) mandates the transfer of the parcels described in the EA to the State or local government, solely for the improvement of existing roads or for the provision of alternative means of transportation.

Two alternatives were considered and evaluated in detail in the EA. The alternatives are Transfer and No Action. Based on the environmental analyses documented in the EA, it has been determined that implementation of the proposed Transfer Alternative would have no significant impact on human health or the environment. Additionally, the proposed action would provide social and economic benefits to the surrounding communities, as well as comply with the requirements of the Refuge Act.

The EA and Draft FONSI are available at the RMA Joint Administrative Record and Document Facility (JARDF), 303-289-0362, open M-F 12-4:00 p.m. or by appointment; and at the EPA Superfund Records Center, 303-312-7287, open M-F 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Comments on the EA and Draft FONSI for the 100-foot-wide strips/parcels transfer must be received by August 6, 2003.** Written requests/concerns should be directed to: Ms. Ruth Mecham,  
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